

1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

2 DISTRICT OF NEVADA

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4 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, *ex rel.*
5 CECILIA GUARDIOLA,

Case No. 3:12-cv-00295-LRH-CLB

6 Plaintiff/ Relator,

ORDER

7 v.

8 RENOWN HEALTH, RENOWN
9 REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER, and
10 RENOWN SOUTH MEADOWS MEDICAL
11 CENTER,


Defendants.

12 Currently pending before the court is Cecilia Guardiola's motion to award her a share of
13 the proceeds recovered by the United States from Renown Health, Renown Regional Medical
14 Center, and Renown South Meadows Medical Center (collectively "Renown"). ECF No. 231. The
15 court's docket provides that the United States of America ("the Government") filed its response to
16 this motion by *amicus*, however, nothing within the Government's response articulates this status.
17 See ECF No. 232. Additionally, when this case was before the Ninth Circuit on appeal, the
18 Government motioned the Court to intervene. The Ninth Circuit never ruled on this motion, but
19 Guardiola voluntarily dismissed the appeal and the case returned to this court without a decision
20 on intervention. No subsequent motion has been filed.

21 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the Government provide the court with clarification
22 regarding whether it is intervening or participating in the suit by *amicus*, within 10 days of the date
23 of this Order. And if it wishes to intervene in the above captioned case, it must do so by motion
24 submitted to this court, within 10 days of the date of this Order.

25 IT IS SO ORDERED.

26 DATED this 13th day of February, 2020.

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28 LARRY R. HICKS
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE